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In re the application of:
Robert E. Sobol

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GRAPHICAL IMAGES

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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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Sir:

In regard to the outstanding final Office Action of September 15, 2003, and Advisory Action of December 31, 2003, Applicant submits the following remarks.

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required, beyond those which may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, in the event that additional extensions of time are necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such extensions are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to Hewlett-Packard Development Company, L.P. Deposit Account No. 08-2025.

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